SHIPPING AEROSOLS BY SURFACE TRANSPORT

Krylon and Sparvar brand aerosol products are shipped by <u>surface transport</u> under **federal** Department of Transportation, Materials Transportation Bureau, Hazardous Materials Regulations, Title 49 Code of Federal Regulations. Revised regulations became mandatory January 1, 1977 (with some exceptions).

Under these rules, commercially labeled Krylon and Sparvar aerosols must be shipped (1) in a carton, (2) the gross weight of each package must not exceed 65 pounds, and (3) the outside of each package must be marked on at least one side or end: - CONSUMER COMMODITY ORM-D.

Having complied with the above, the package may be handled much like any <u>non-hazardous</u> material. The shipping papers should describe the material only in the terms of a tariff commodity name necessary to establish freight charges. Do not list a hazardous material shipping name or classification. Do not sign a shipper's certification. Do not apply a red label or green label. There are no placarding requirements for vehicles.

United Parcel Service requires no hazardous materials label or other paper work. (Not acceptable in Blue Label Service as this involves air transportation for which there are additional requirements).

U. S. Postal Service rule 124.151 requires only that a package be marked with the D.O.T. shipping name when offered properly packaged for surface transportation. CONSUMER COMMODITY ORM-D meets that requirement. There are additional requirements for air mail. Therefore, mark packages "Surface Transport Only" unless you comply for air shipment.

Marking Details: CONSUMER COMMODITY ORM-D may be in any reasonable size, but ORM-D must be within a rectangle that is 1/4-inch larger on each side than the letters.

Factory Marking of Krylon and Sparvar: All cartons of Krylon and Sparvar aerosols shipped from factory warehouses on or after January 1, 1977 have been marked Consumer Commodity ORM-D.

Note: Krylon non-aerosol bulk products require shipping papers, shipper's certificate and carton labeling and marking.

ALTERNATE CLASSIFICATION: Krylon and Sparvar brand aerosol products may instead be shipped under paragraph 173.306(a)(3) as "Compressed Gas, n.o.s.; Flammable Gas; Limited Quantity." When using this shipping name and classification, there are requirements to provide shipping papers which include the above, shipper's certificate, and carton marking of shipping name, "Compressed Gas, n.o.s." and the statement, "Inside containers comply with prescribed regulations." A "Limited Quantity" item requires no hazard label on the carton.

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